

CURRICULUM VITAE
STEFANIE R. ELLISON, M.D.

Current Employment: Truman Medical Center-Hospital Hill
2301 Holmes Street
Kansas City, MO 64108
Position: Student Clerkship Director
July 2005-present
Student Externship Director
July 2004-present
Student Clerkship Co-Educator
July 2004-2005
Assistant Professor
July 2000-present
Associate Clinical Director
July 2000-July 2004

Post Graduate Training: University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
Kansas City, Missouri
July 1997-June 2000

Education: University of Nebraska Medical Center
Medical Doctor
Omaha, Nebraska
September 1993-June 1997

University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Bachelor of Science in Chemistry
Lincoln, Nebraska
September 1991-June 1993

University of Nebraska-Kearney
Kearney, Nebraska
September 1989-June 1991

Licensure: State of Missouri
BNDD Registration, Missouri
DEA Registration

Certifications:

Board Certification, Emergency Medicine
American Board of Emergency Medicine
November 16, 2001

Fellow, American College of Emergency Physicians
October 2003

Advanced Cardiac Life Support: Current (Exp. 6/08)

Advanced Trauma Life Support: Current (Exp 10/09)

Medical Education Research Certificate (MERC) Program
Oct 2005, March 2006, November 2, 5 of 6 courses.

Base Station Physician: Current (Exp. 05/07)

**Academic
Appointments:**

Assistant Professor
University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Medicine
July 2000-Present

**Professional
Appointments:**

Emergency Medicine Student Clerkship Director
University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Medicine
July 2005-Present

Emergency Medicine Student Externship Director
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
July 2004-Present

Associate Clinical Director
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
July 2000-June 2004

Advanced Cardiac Life Support Course Director
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
July 2000-July 2003

Team Member for Clinical Operations
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center

Department of Emergency Medicine
February 1998-June 2000

Advanced Cardiac Life Support Resident Class Coordinator
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
August 1998-June 2000

Emergency Medicine Resident
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
July 1997-June 2000

Emergency Medicine Resident Association Representative
University of Missouri-Kansas City
Truman Medical Center
Department of Emergency Medicine
July 1997-June 2000

Outreach Coordinator, American Medical Association,
University of Nebraska Medical Center; Omaha, Nebraska
1993-1994

**Professional
Appointment,
Kansas City, MO:**

Emergency Physicians Advisory Board, Mayor-Appointed
Board for Emergency Medical Services
August 2005-present

**Professional
Community Service:**

Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANE) Medical Director
2000-Present

Harley-Davidson AED Program Medical Director: 2001-
2003

Emergency Providers Incorporated ACLS Medical Director
2000-2002

**Professional Activities,
University Physician
Associates:**

Finance Committee July 2002-November 2004

**Professional Activities,
Truman Medical Center:**

Quality Committee Chair
July 2003-July 2006

Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee-July 2000-July 2003

Code Blue Task Force July 2001-July 2004

**Professional Activities,
Emergency Department:**

ED Quality Improvement Team Chair
July 2002-June 2004

ED Student Education Task Force
July 2001-2004

SERVICE

**Service, University
Missouri-Kansas City,
School of Medicine:**

Docent, Year II Medical Student Program
Fall 2002-Present

Council on Curriculum, elected position
May 2005-Present

LCME Site Visit Faculty Participant
For LCME Site visit 2003

Professional Service Peer-Reviewer:

Abstract reviewer for presentations at regional meeting-CGEA conference March 2007, Indianapolis, Indiana

Abstract reviewer for presentations at regional meeting-CGEA conference March 2006 Kansas City, Missouri

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Publications:

Ellison SR, Ellison SD. Bariatric Surgery: A Review of the Procedures and Complications for the Emergency Physician. J of EM Submitted and accepted with revisions on May 5, 2006.

Stahmer S, **Ellison SR**, et al. Integrating the Core Competencies: Proceedings from the 2005 Academic Assembly Consortium. Acad Emerg Med. January 2007 14(1): 80-94.

Daniels LB, Bhalla V, Clopton P, Hollander JE, Guss D, McCoulough PA, Novak R, Green G, Salzberg M, **Ellison SR**, et al: B-type natriuretic peptide (BNP)

levels and ethnic disparities in perceived severity of heart failure: results from the Rapid Emergency Department Heart Failure Outpatient Trial (REDHOT) multicenter study of BNP levels and emergency department decision making in patients presenting with shortness of breath. *J Card Fail.* 2006 May;12(4):281-5.

Brenden CK, Hollander JE, Guss D, McCullough PA, Nowak R, Green G, Saltzberg M, **Ellison SR**, et al. Gray zone BNP levels in heart failure patients in the emergency department: results from the Rapid Emergency Department Heart Failure Outpatient Trial (REDHOT) multicenter study. *Am Heart J.* 2006 May;151(5):1006-11.

Maisel A, Hollander JE, Guss D, **Ellison SR**, et al: Primary results of the rapid Emergency Department Heart Failure Outpatient Trial (REDHOT): A multicenter study of B-type natriuretic peptide levels, Emergency Department decision making and outcomes. *J Am Coll Cardiol.* 2004;44(6):1328-33.

Ellison SR, Gratton MC, Schwab RA, Ma OJ: Prehospital dispatch assessment of stroke. *Missouri Medicine*, 2004;101(1):64-66 .

Gratton MC, **Ellison SR**, Hunt J. Ma OJ: Prospective determination of medical necessity for ambulance transport by paramedics. *Prehospital Emergency Care* 2003;7:466-469.

Book Chapters:

Ellison SR: Sexual Assault and Intimate Partner Violence. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*, 2nd edition. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2004.

Steele, MT, **Ellison SR:** Trauma to the Hip, Pelvis, and Femur. In: Tintinalli JE (ed): *Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide*, 6th edition. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2003.

Ellison SR: Cardiac Valvular Disorders. In: Meldon SW, Ma OJ, Woolard R (eds): *Geriatric Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2003.

Ellison SR: Sudden Cardiac Death. In: Meldon SW, Ma OJ, Woolard R (eds): *Geriatric Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2003.

Ellison SR: Sexual Assault and Intimate Partner Violence. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Manual for Emergency Medicine*, 6th edition. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2003.

Seaman S: Trauma in Pregnancy. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2000.

Seaman S: Compartment Syndromes. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2000.

Seaman S: Rhabdomyolysis. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2000.

Seaman S: Near Drowning. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2000.

Seaman S: Thyroid Disease Emergencies. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2000.

Seaman S: Stroke Syndromes. In: Ma OJ, Cline D (eds): *Just the Facts in Emergency Medicine*. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2000.

Abstracts:

Seaman S, Gratton M, Garza A: Out-of-hospital assessment of stroke. *Annals of Emergency Medicine* 2000;36(4):S37.

Review Articles:

Seaman S: Review of Arrillage A, Graham R, York JW, Miller RS, et al: Increased Efficiency and Cost-Effectiveness in the Evaluation of the Blunt Abdominal Trauma Patient with the Use of Ultrasound. Published in *Annals of Emergency Medicine* 1999;65:31-35.

Seaman S: Review of Sole D, Komatsu MK, Carvalho KVT, Naspitz CK, et al: Pulse Oximetry in the Evaluation of the Severity of Acute Asthma and/or Wheezing in Children. Published in *Annals of Emergency Medicine* 1999;36:327-333.

RESEARCH:

Communication and Interpersonal Skills Curriculum and an Assessment Tool in Undergraduate Education.-funded by Dean's Discretionary money

Stefanie R. Ellison and Christine Sullivan
2005-present

Communication and Interpersonal Skills Curriculum and an Assessment Tool in an Emergency Medicine Residency-funded by Dean's Discretionary money

Christine Sullivan and **Stefanie R. Ellison**
2005-present

REDHOT: Rapid Emergency Diagnosis of heart failure and Outpatient Treatment.
Principal Investigator, study completed 2002.

Nurse-Initiated Chest X-ray Ordering for Pneumonia. Pilot completed 2003

FUNDING:

Dean's Discretionary Faculty Development Fund: Develop a curriculum and assessment in Communication and Interpersonal Skills for Undergraduate and Graduate Medical Education in Emergency Medicine-0.25 FTE funded

PRESENTATIONS

Presentations at National Meetings

“Teaching and Assessing Communication and Interpersonal Skills in the Emergency Medicine Student Clerkship,” oral presentation accepted to RIME section

Stefanie R. Ellison, MD, Christine Sullivan, MD, Jennifer Quaintance, PhD, Louise Arnold, PhD

Association of American Medical Colleges Annual Meeting, Seattle, Washington, November 1, 2006

“Implementation of a New Tool to Educate and Evaluate Performance in Communication and Interpersonal Skills of Emergency Medicine Residents,” speaker, Christine Sullivan, MD and **Stefanie R. Ellison, MD**

Council of Residency Directors (CORD) Annual Academic Assembly, Las Vegas, Nevada

March 3-5, 2006

“Small Group Summary for the ACGME Core Competencies: Communication and Interpersonal Skills for the Emergency Medicine Resident”. Stefanie Ellison, MD
Council of Residency Directors (CORD), New Orleans, March 5, 2005.

“Advanced Cardiac Life Support,” Hot Topics in Emergency Medicine, Tucson, Arizona, February 2002.

Presentations at Regional Meetings

“Does Perceived Importance of Essential Communication Skills Reflect Performance in Emergency Medicine Residents?” oral presentation, Christine Sullivan, MD, **Stefanie Ellison, MD**, Jennifer Quaintance, PhD, Louise Arnold, PhD, Central Group on Educational Affairs (CGEA) Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, Indiana, March 2007

“Life-Long Learning and Self Assessment Review Articles 6-10”, Combined Clinical Conference, Lake of the Ozarks, August 8, 2006

“Life-Long Learning and Self Assessment Review Articles 6-10”, Combined Clinical Conference, Lake of the Ozarks, August 10, 2005

“Advanced Wound Care Lecture”, Combined Clinical Conference, Lake of the Ozarks, August 11, 2005

“Advanced Wound Care Suture Lab”, Combined Clinical Conference, Lake of the Ozarks, August 10, 2005

“Anaphylaxis and Allergic Reactions” Hot Topics in Emergency Medicine Spring Seminar, Truman Medical Center, April 2005

Community Presentations

“Ecstasy and Club Drugs,” Project X-Out, Kansas City, Missouri, City Hall Meeting, 2003.

“Role of the Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Medical Director,” SANE training course, August 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

“Drug-Facilitated Sexual Assault,” SANE training course, August 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

Posters at National Meetings

“Does Perceived Importance of Essential Communication Skills Reflect Performance in Emergency Medicine Residents?” Christine Sullivan, MD, **Stefanie Ellison, MD**, Jennifer Quaintance, PhD, Louise Arnold, PhD, Council of Residency Directors (CORD)/ Emergency Medicine, Annual Academic Assembly, Orlando, Florida, March 1-3, 2007

“Medical Student Education in Critical Care: Teaching Sick vs. Not Sick in the Emergency Medicine Student Clerkship” IME section
Stefanie Ellison, MD and Christine Sullivan MD
American Academy of Medical Colleges National Meeting
Washington D.C., November 3 2005

“Impact of Nurse-Initiated Chest X-ray Ordering in Suspected Pneumonia,” Institute of Healthcare Improvement (IHI), Orlando, Florida, December 2004.

“Prehospital Assessment of Stroke,” American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP) Scientific Assembly, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 2000.

Posters at Regional Meetings

“Communication and Interpersonal Skills and Clinical Performance during an Emergency Medicine Student Clerkship”-peer-reviewed
Stefanie R. Ellison, Christine Sullivan, Jennifer Quaintance, Louise Arnold
Central Group on Educational Affairs (CGEA)
Indianapolis, Indiana, March 2007
Won the Research in Medical Education (RIME) award

“Teaching and Assessing Communication and Interpersonal Skills in the Emergency Medicine Clerkship”-peer-reviewed
Stefanie Ellison, Christine Sullivan

Central Group on Educational Affairs (CGEA)
Kansas City, MO March 2006

“Teaching and Assessing Communication and Interpersonal Skills in the Emergency Medicine Clerkship”-peer-reviewed
Stefanie Ellison, Christine Sullivan
Combined Clinical Conference at the Lake
Osage Beach, MO August 8-11, 2006

“Development of a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners Program in Kansas City, Missouri”-peer-reviewed
Angela Pons-Sepsis RN, **Stefanie Ellison MD**, Dana Basara RN
Combined Clinical Conference at the Lake
Osage Beach, MO
August 8-11, 2005

Truman Medical Center Emergency Medicine Faculty Lecture Series:

“Drugs of Abuse”, January 25, 2006
“Geriatrics”, December 11, 2006
“Environmental Emergencies” August 16, 2006
“Drugs of Abuse”- October 19, 2005
“Cardiac Arrhythmias”-September 21, 2005
“The ED Pelvic Examination”, August 17, 2005
“Geriatrics II: Altered Presentations of Disease”, February 10, 2005
“Trauma in Pregnancy and Multi-System Trauma,” November 11, 2004.
“Cardiac Valve Disorders,” September 16, 2004.
“Drugs,” May 13, 2004.
“Disorders of Cardiac Rhythm,” January 8, 2004.
“TIA and Stroke,” October 9, 2003.
“Environmental Emergencies,” July 31, 2003
“Emergency Department Documentation,” June 26, 2003.
“Cardiac Valve Disorders,” March 13, 2003.
“Acute Aortic Dissection,” November 2002.
“Procedures in the Care of Burn Patients,” August 15, 2002.
“Hyponatremic Dehydration,” May 2, 2002.
“Eye Trauma,” January 24, 2002.
“Thrombolytics in Acute Ischemic Stroke” December 2001.
“Pneumothorax and Pneumomediastinum”, July 19, 2001
“Stones/Hematuria,” May 10, 2001.
“Allergies/Anaphylaxis,” March 29, 2001.
“Renal Failure,” January 4, 2001.
“Cardiovascular Medications,” December 21, 2000.

Truman Medical Center Emergency Medicine Grand Rounds:

“Disseminate Gonococcal Infection”, January 25, 2007

“Aspirin Overdose” December 11, 2006
“Residents as Teachers” August 16, 2006
“Thrombolytics in Acute Myocardial Infarction”- November 16
“Hypertensive urgency”, September 21, 2005
“Tylenol PM Overdose”, August 17, 2005
“Mastoiditis: diagnosis and management”, June 2005
“Emergency Genitourinary Procedures”, February 10, 2005
“Nonoperative Management of Abdominal Gunshot Wounds,” November 11, 2004.
“Amebic Liver Abscess,” September 16, 2004.
“Gastric Outlet Syndrome,” May 13, 2004.
“Tracheobronchial Injury,” January 8, 2004.
“Anaphylactic Shock,” October 9, 2003.
“Emergency Department Imaging for Nephrolithiasis,” July 31, 2003.
“AAA,” June 26, 2003.
“Hyponatremia,” March 13, 2003.
“AKA,” November 11, 2002.
“Traumatic Burns”, August 15, 2002
“Calculating Osmolarity” May 2, 2002
“Esophageal Foreign Body” January 24, 2002
“Blood Products and Transfusions,” December, 2001
“Pneumothorax”, July 19, 2001

Truman Medical Center Internal Medicine Lectures:

“Anaphylaxis and Allergic Reactions”
Internal Medicine Emergency Lecture Series
July 24, 2007
July 2006
July 2005
July 2004

Truman Medical Center Emergency Medicine Student Lectures:

“Sick vs. Not Sick”
EM Student Clerkship
Monthly Lecture July 2005-present

“Documentation”
EM Student Clerkship
Monthly Lecture July 2005-present

“Blunt Extremity Trauma”
EM Student Clerkship
Monthly Lecture July 2003-2004

“ACLS Review for your EM Clerkship”
July 2001-2003

University of Missouri-Kansas City SOM Student Lectures

“Upper Extremity Injuries”
Clinical Correlatives, Year 2
January 2006, February 5, 2007

“Intimate Partner Violence”
C.U.E.S. Course
March, 2006, April 10, 2007

UMKC School of Medicine Emergency Interest Group:

“Your Personal Statement and Letters of Recommendation” August 16, 2006

“Your Personal Statement and Letters of Recommendation” August 18, 2004

“Women in Academic Emergency Medicine,” January 11, 2003

“Cervical Spine Injuries,” August 15, 2000

University of Kansas School of Medicine Emergency Medicine Interest Group:

“Your Personal Statement and Externships”, November 20, 2006

“Your Personal Statement and Letters of Recommendation” November 11, 2005

“Your Personal Statement and Letters of Recommendation” September, 2004

Resident Advising:

Sajid Khan 2007-present

Alison Benson 2007-present

Joy Aregood 2006-present

Paula Godfrey 2004-present

Charlotte Ransom 2004-2007
Chief Resident 2006-2007

Denny Chinnock Letter of Recommendation 6/06
Employed Truman Medical Center Lakewood 2006

Nikkel Blecha 2003-2006

Brandon Boke 2002-2005
Letter of Recommendation 2006

Adam Algren 2001-2004
Chief Resident 2003-2004, Employed TMC Faculty 2004,
Fellow in Toxicology, Emory Atlanta, GA 2004-2006

Martha Ann Pratt 2000-2003
Chief Resident 2002-2003, Employed in Tennessee 2003
Letter of Recommendation March 2005

Student Advising:

Shawn Stanley, KU Reviewed and edited personal statement

Tim Stebbins, KU Reviewed and edited personal statement, externship selection,
interviewing

Matthew Treaster, Advised in externships, application process
UMKC

Cindy Hird, Advised in externships, application process
UMKC Reviewed and edited personal statement

Katy Carmichael, Study Month October 2003
UMKC Resident Emergency Medicine, Truman Medical Center 2004-
present, Chief Resident 2006-2007

Meredith Leach, Letter of Recommendation October 20,2001
UMKC Matched Emergency Medicine Truman Medical Center, March
2002

Matthew Craig, Letter of Recommendation
UMKC Matched Anesthesiology, Truman Medical Center 2002

Honors/Awards:

Research in Medical Education (RIME) award for poster: “Teaching and Assessing
Communication and Interpersonal Skills (CIPS) in the Emergency Medicine Clerkship”
Central Group on Educational Affairs (CGEA), Indianapolis, IN 2007

America’s Top Emergency Physicians, 2006 Directory Publication

Dean’s Discretionary Funding Proposal: Development and Implementation of a
Communication and Interpersonal Skills Curriculum for Undergraduate and Graduate
Medical Education

Stefanie Ellison, MD and Christine Sullivan, MD
May 2006

Letter of Recognition from the Drug Enforcement Agency for Project X-Out Lecture: Ecstasy and Club Drugs 2003.

Appointed Fellow of American College of Emergency Medicine October 2003

New Faculty Teaching Scholar University of Missouri Kansas City, July 2001.

Emergency Medicine Outstanding Student Award University of Nebraska Medical Center; Omaha, Nebraska 1993.

Clarkson Summer Internship Award; June-July 1994 University of Nebraska Medical Center; Omaha, Nebraska

Dean's List Four Semesters, August 1991-June 1993 University of Nebraska-Lincoln; Lincoln, Nebraska

Dean's List Four Semesters, August 1989-June 1991 University of Nebraska-Kearney; Kearney, Nebraska

Academic All-American NAIA-Swimming, 1989-1991 University of Nebraska-Kearney; Kearney, Nebraska

Professional Membership:

- American College of Emergency Physicians: 1997-Present
- Society of Academic Emergency Medicine: 2002-Present
- Association of American Medical Colleges, 2005-Present
- Central Group on Educational Affairs, 2005-Present
- Emergency Medicine Resident Association: 1997-2000
- American Medical Association: 1993-2002

Interests:

- Family, gardening, golf, running, painting,

6/07